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METHOD)

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

In reply to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 18, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application.

REMARKS

The Office Action of March 18, 2008 was received and carefully reviewed. Claims 1-64 are presently pending in the instant application. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the currently pending rejections are requested for the reasons advanced in detail below.

Claims 1, 3-4, 7, 32, 34-35, 38 and 63-64 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Fogel et al. (U.S. Publication No. 2003/0115195 A1) in view of Spindler et al. (U.S. Publication No. 2003/0181999 A1). Claims 2, 5-6, 33, and 36-37 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Fogel et al. in view of Spindler et al. and further in view of Matus et al. (U.S. Publication No. 2003/0233309 A1). Claims 9-11 and 40-42 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Fogel et al. in view of Spindler et al. and further in view of Black et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,012,042). Claims